

Appl. No. 10/733,042
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REMARKS

The Examiner has imposed a restriction requirement dividing the pending claims into seven groups as follows:

- I. Claims 1-41, drawn to a nucleic acid, classified in class 536, subclass 23.1, et al.
- II. Claims 42-54, drawn to a method of genetically altering an avian cell, classified in class 435, subclass 455, et al.
- III. Claims 55-61, drawn to a cell, classified in class 435, subclass 325.
- IV. Claims 62-66, drawn to a transgenic avian, classified in class 800, subclass 19.
- V. Claim 67, drawn to an egg, classified in class 426, subclass 47.
- VI. Claim 68, drawn to egg white, classified in class 426, subclass 32.
- VII. Claims 69 and 70, drawn to protein, classified in various classes and subclasses.

Applicant elects the Group I claims without traverse.

If any issues remain to be addressed in this matter, which might be resolved by discussion, the Examiner is respectfully requested to call applicants' undersigned counsel at the number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,



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